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# MONTANA

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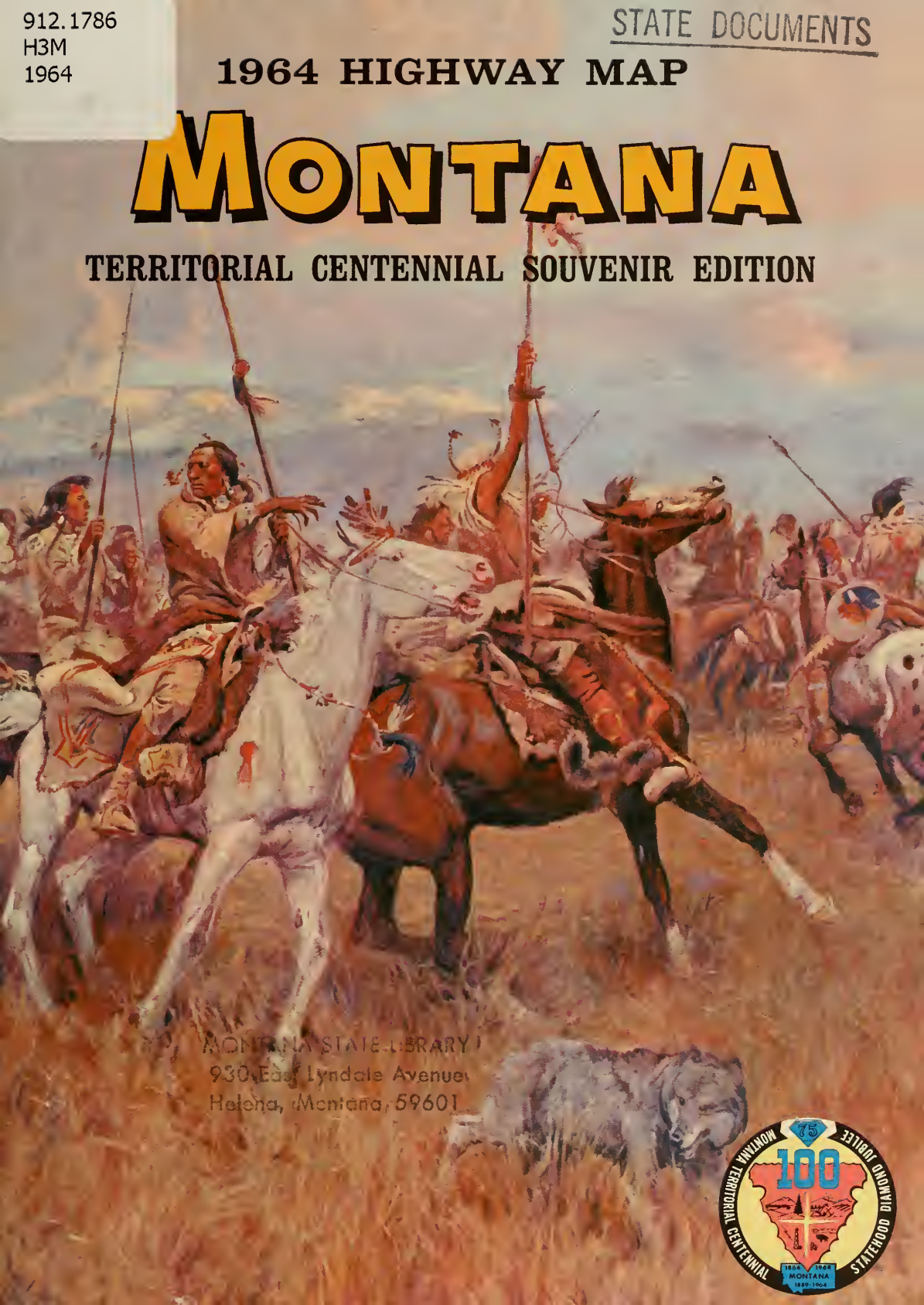

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# Welcome to Montana!

I join the proud, hospitable people of Montana in welcoming you and all others to visit the Big Sky Country in 1964.

One hundred years ago Montana became a Territory. Seventy-five years ago this land of unexcelled, inviting, exciting recreation and vacation splendor became the 41st State of the Union.

Come and be the guest of Montana's warm, friendly citizens and, with many special events, help us celebrate our Territorial Centennial and Diamond Jubilee of Statehood.

Visit Montana, which is embraced by Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks, during any season of our Centennial Year.

Help us enjoy our incomparable fishing, camping, hunting, skiing and sightseeing, and join with us in breathing air that has never been breathed before.

Sincerely,

Tim Babcock

TIM BABCOCK, Governor

Montana's Centennial Medallion

## TRAFFIC REGULATIONS AND SAFETY RULES

1. Montana speed limits: Daylight—reasonable and prudent speed, 55 miles per hour during the hours when lights are required, except where zoned and posted. Trucks in excess of 8,000 pounds gross weight—50 miles per hour. Vehicles towing house trailers—50 miles per hour. Speed limit on roads under construction—35 miles per hour.
2. Vehicles entering main highways from side road or drive must yield right of-way to vehicles traveling main highways.
3. Vehicles must drive to right of center line at all times except when passing another car. Never pass on hills or curves. Be sure you can see far enough ahead to make a safe passing.
4. Proper signal must be given when passing another vehicle, changing direction, stopping or slowing down on the highway. Sound horn to warn the car ahead you are going to pass, left turn, left hand and arm extended horizontally, right turn, left hand and arm extended upward, stop or slow down, left arm extended downward. Electrical turn indicators are legal.
5. Obey all warning signs, such as School Zone, Stop, Slow, Danger, Curve, Yield Right-of Way, and others.
6. Never drive at a speed greater than that at which you can stop in the clear road visible ahead. Slow down at night or when the road is wet or icy.
7. When approaching another car from either the front or rear, dim your lights, don't be afraid to dim first. Courtesy promotes safety.
8. Slow down when approaching any child, pedestrian, bicycle, livestock, parked car, or other obstruction of the highway. Be prepared for the unexpected.
9. Don't stop or park on the main-traveled portion of the highway, especially on hills or curves. Pull out on the shoulder. It's safer for you and other cars.
10. Accidents resulting in death, personal injury, or property damage of an apparent extent of $100 or more requires immediate notification to Sheriff, Police or Highway Patrol by quickest means of communication. This notice must be followed by a written report to Montana Highway Patrol Board, Helena, Montana within ten days.
11. When approaching school busses loading or unloading school children, drivers must stop and not proceed until school bus resumes motion.
12. Littering highways prohibited—HELP KEEP MONTANA CLEAN.
13. PREVENT FOREST FIRES—USE YOUR ASH TRAY.
14. During the forest fire season every vehicle going into forested areas must be equipped with a serviceable shovel, axe, and bucket, except when traveling numbered state and federal highways.

## TIPS FOR TRAILER OWNERS

Montana highway regulations provide that no combination of auto and trailer shall exceed 60 ft. in length, or 35 in. in total outside width, or 13 ft. 6 in. in height except with permit. Trailers should carry red lights to the rear, green, amber or white lights to the front and amber side lights. The speed limit for vehicles towing house trailers is 50 miles per hour. No person shall occupy a house trailer while it is being moved upon the highway.

Principal mountain passes in Montana are:

Beartooth Pass—Red Lodge Yellowstone Highway, U S 212 El. 10,940. Not advised for large trailers.

Bozeman Pass—U S 10 and 191 east of Bozeman El. 5,712

Elk Park Pass—U S 91 northeast of Butte El. 6,377 Water stops

Kings Hill—U S 89 north of White Sulphur Springs El. 7,389

Logan Pass—Glacier Park's Going-to-the Sun Highway El. 6,664. Not advised for large trailers.

Lolo Pass—U S 12 at Montana Idaho border El. 5,187 Easy grade

Lookout Pass—U S 10 at Montana Idaho border El. 4,726. Water stops

Lost Trail Pass—U S 93 at Montana Idaho border El. 6,990

MacDonald Pass—U S 12 west of Helena El. 6,325 Water stops

Marias Pass—U S 2 west of East Glacier El. 5,216 Water stops

Monida Pass—U S 91 at Montana Idaho border El. 6,823 Easy grade

Pass—Montana 43, southeast of Lost Trail, Pass El. 7,241

Popestone Pass—U S 10 east of Butte El. 6,418 Water stops

Reynolds Pass—Montana 287 south of Ennis El. 6,614 Easy grade

Rogers Pass—Montana 20 East of Lincoln El. 5,609

Skalkaho Pass—Montana 38 east of Hamilton El. 7,258 Not oiled. Not advised for trailers

Vaughan Pass—U S 191, 20 and Montana 287 at Montana Idaho border El. 7,078 Easy grade

## MONTANA ROADS OPEN FOR WINTER TRAVEL

Modern maintenance equipment enables Montana to keep all primary roads (shown in red) open during winter months except for very short periods during or immediately after a severe storm. Make local inquiry regarding conditions during storms. Carry chains and a shovel. Reduce speed.

All main highway passes are kept open all winter. Passes that are closed to traffic for several months are

Beartooth Pass on U S 212, from 12 miles south of Red Lodge over Beartooth Plateau to Cooke City

Logan Pass on Glacier National Park closed from about Oct. 15 to June 1

Skalkaho Pass on Montana 38 between Anaconda and Hamilton

Yellowstone National Park roads subject to closure after Oct. 31, except for Gardiner-Cooke City road via Mammoth which remains open year around

## MONTANA INDEX

Population: 647 000 (1962 Estimate) 674 767—1960 Census

Area: 147 138 sq. miles

Capital: Helena

### COUNTIES 1960 census

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Beaverhead 7194 | G 2 | Fallon 3991 | E 12 | Lewis and Clark, | | Phillips 6077 | B 8 | Stillwater 5526 | G 7 |
| Big Horn 6003 | C 9 | Fergus 14018 | D 7 | 28006 | D 4 | Pondera 7553 | B 4 | Sweet Grass 3290 | E 6 |
| Blaine 8206 | B 10 | Flathead 37631 | B 3 | Liberty 2624 | B 5 | Powder River 2445 | C 11 | Teton 7295 | B 5 |
| Broadwater 2804 | E 5 | Gallatin 26045 | B 6 | Lincoln 12337 | B 1 | Powell 7002 | D 3 | Toole 7904 | B 5 |
| Carbon 8217 | F 6 | Garfield 1941 | C 11 | Madison 5711 | C 11 | Pravitt 2193 | D 12 | Treasure 1345 | E 10 |
| Carter 2493 | G 12 | Glacier 13565 | A 3 | Meagher 2821 | D 4 | Ravalli 12345 | C 3 | Valley 17080 | B 10 |
| Cascade 73612 | D 5 | Golden Valley 1703 | E 7 | Mineral 3039 | C 3 | Richland 10604 | E 12 | Wheatland 3026 | E 7 |
| Chouteau 7348 | C 6 | Granite 3614 | B 2 | Missoula 58263 | C 3 | Roosevelt 11731 | F 10 | Wibaux 1658 | D 12 |
| Custer 12272 | E 11 | Hill 18852 | B 6 | Musselshell 6868 | D 6 | Rosebud 9233 | E 9 | Yellowstone 79016 | F 8 |
| Daniels 3755 | A 12 | Jefferson 4591 | D 6 | Park 15166 | C 6 | Sanders 6480 | C 1 | Yellowstone Nat'l Pk | |
| Dawson 12640 | E 12 | Judith Basin 3085 | D 6 | Petroleum 894 | D 9 | Sheridan 9658 | A 12 | Park—87 | H-6 |
| Deer Lodge 18640 | F 3 | Lake 21014 | C 2 | | | Silver Bow 46454 | F 4 | | |

### CITIES AND TOWNS

1960 census or later Estimates. •County Seats

| | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A | | Culbertson 915 | B 12 | Hedgesville 10 | F 7 | Midtown, 500 | D 2 | •Scobey, 1278 | A 11 |
| Absarokee, 400 | C 7 | Custer 250 | E 9 | •Helena, 21800 | E 6 | Milltown 500 | D 2 | Seeley Lake 400 | C 3 |
| Acton 10 | F 6 | •Cut Bank, 4595 | B 4 | Hellgate 75 | D 6 | •Miles City, 9700 | E 10 | Shawmut 10 | E 7 |
| Agawam | C 4 | | | Heron 75 | C 1 | Missoula, 29090 | C 3 | Shelby, 4021 | B 5 |
| Alberton, 356 | C 2 | D | | Highwood, 200 | E 6 | Moccasin, 225 | C 6 | Shepherd, 100 | F 8 |
| Allison 5 | G 12 | | | Hilger 45 | D 6 | Moiese, 2 | C 3 | Sheridan, 529 | G 4 |
| Alzada, 100 | D 4 | Dagmar, 20 | A 12 | Hill | A 5 | Monarch 70 | D 5 | Shonkin 5 | C 6 |
| Alhambra 60 | E 6 | Darby, 396 | D 2 | Hingham 254 | B 8 | Monida 30 | G 1 | Sidney, 4564 | C 12 |
| Amsterdam 100 | E 6 | Dayton 50 | C 2 | Hinsdale 400 | B 5 | Montague 15 | G 6 | Silesia, 100 | D 8 |
| •Anaconda, 12704 | F 3 | Decker 75 | C 12 | Hobson 200 | D 6 | Moore 170 | D 6 | Silver Gate 70 | G 4 |
| Anderson 10 | F 3 | Deerlodge, 4681 | F 3 | Holland 100 | E 12 | Mosby 5 | E 5 | Silver Star 75 | F 6 |
| Angela 5 | E 10 | Denton 350 | D 7 | Homestead, 100 | B 12 | Moulton | C 6 | Simms 350 | C 4 |
| Antelope, 100 | F 12 | Dixon 100 | C 2 | Hot Springs 1040 | C 2 | Mountain View | E 8 | Simpson 10 | B 4 |
| Aoggie, 100 | B 2 | Dodson 410 | B 8 | Hungry Horse 400 | B 2 | Musselshell, 150 | D 6 | Smith River | D 6 |
| Apex | B 2 | Dooley 10 | E 5 | Huntley 200 | E 7 | Myers, 5 | F 9 | Snowden | D 6 |
| Arlee 100 | D 2 | Diamond City | E 5 | •Hysham 454 | E 5 | | | Somers 800 | B 2 |
| Armington 80 | D 6 | Dutton, 2690 | D 4 | | | N | | Sonnette 10 | G 1 |
| Assiniboine, 90 | F 10 | Divide 145 | F 3 | | | Nashua, 768 | B 10 | Southern Cross | E 3 |
| Augusta 450 | B 4 | Drummond, 377 | D 3 | J | | Nashua, 768 | B 10 | Springdale, 50 | F 6 |
| Aurora 10 | E 4 | Dunkirk 318 | B 8 | | | Nashua, 815 | C 4 | Square Butte 85 | C 6 |
| Avon, 200 | E 4 | Dunlap | A 12 | Jaquith, 25 | E 8 | Nevada City, 80 | F 4 | Stanford, 815 | D 5 |
| | | Duperow, 25 | D 4 | Jefferson | D 6 | Niarada 6 | C 2 | Stark | D 2 |
| B | | Dupuyer, 125 | C 5 | Jenkins, 25 | D 5 | Niarada 6 | C 2 | Stevensville 754 | C 3 |
| | | Durham 504 | C 5 | Jens, 50 | G 11 | Niehe | E 6 | Stockett, 400 | D 5 |
| Babb 50 | A 3 | | | Jordan 350 | E 9 | Nihart | C 2 | Sula | C 3 |
| Bainville, 395 | F 12 | E | | | | Noble 25 | B 12 | Sumatra, 25 | F 9 |
| •Baker, 2365 | E 12 | | | K | | Nohly | C 6 | Sunburst, 643 | B 5 |
| Ballantine, 350 | F 3 | East Glacier Park, 400 | B 3 | | | Noon, 150 | B 1 | Sun River, 60 | C 5 |
| Barker, 10 | F 7 | East Helena 1450 | E 6 | Jackson, 60 | D 3 | Norris | D 6 | Sunset | B 2 |
| Basin, 100 | D 6 | Eden | E 5 | Jaffare 60 | E 4 | Nye 75 | G 7 | Sumatra, 25 | F 9 |
| Beaverrock, 81 | B 5 | Edgar, 275 | F 12 | Jefferson City, 100 | E 6 | | | Sunburst, 643 | B 5 |
| Bearcreek, 10 | F 9 | Edgerton 250 | E 12 | Jefferson, 75 | C 6 | O | | Sun River, 60 | C 5 |
| Belfry, 250 | G 8 | Edwood 75 | D 12 | Joliet, 652 | G 7 | Olive | E 12 | Sunset | B 2 |
| Belgrade, 1057 | F 5 | Elder, 75 | D 7 | Joplin 200 | E 4 | Olney 200 | E 2 | Superior, 1078 | D 2 |
| Berkeley 5 | G 7 | Elgin, 275 | D 7 | Jordan 557 | D 10 | Opheim 457 | A 10 | | |
| Belmont 25 | E 7 | Emigrant, 25 | G 6 | Judith Gap, 185 | D 6 | Oswego 50 | E 11 | T | |
| Belt, 1 | E 4 | Enid 5 | C 12 | | | Otter, 5 | G 10 | Tarkio, 30 | D 1 |
| Beltrami | E 4 | Ennis, 525 | G 5 | | | Outlook 226 | E 12 | Terry, 1240 | E 9 |
| Deschland 50 | D 6 | Epsie 5 | G 11 | | | Overlea, 75 | D 3 | Thompson Falls, | D-11 |
| Bidelle 75 | D 6 | Essex 10 | B 3 | K | | | | 1276 | C 1 |
| Big Arm 100 | C 2 | Ethridge, 30 | E 6 | | | P | | Three Forks, 1161 | G 3 |
| Big Fork, 500 | B 3 | Eureka 1275 | A 2 | •Kalispell, 10151 | B 2 | | | Toston 100 | F 5 |
| Bighorn 10 | E 6 | Evaro | D 2 | Kevin 275 | B 4 | P-Q | | Townsend, 3528 | E 5 |
| Big Sandy, 954 | B 5 | | | Kila 50 | B 2 | Pablo, 300 | C 7 | Trego 75 | B 2 |
| Big Timber, 1660 | F 6 | F | | Kings Hill | D 5 | Paradise 400 | C 2 | Trident, 100 | F 5 |
| •Billings, 55000 | F 8 | | | Kintla 5 | C 10 | Parkers, 145 | E 4 | Troy, 1241 | B 1 |
| Bonner, 75 | D 3 | Fairhaft 757 | C 4 | Kirby 50 | D 7 | Pendroy, 30 | D 3 | Twin Bridges, 509 | G 4 |
| Intack Eagle, 2700 | C 5 | Fairview, 1006 | C-11 | Kremlin 200 | B 4 | Perma, 75 | B 4 | Twodot, 75 | E 6 |
| Bonniwell 50 | E 6 | Fallon 200 | D-11 | | | Philipsburg, 1107 | F 3 | | |
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| •Boulder 1204 | E 6 | Forsyth, 39 | D 7 | | | Pompeys Pillar, 100 | F 9 | Ulm, 350 | D 5 |
| Box Elder, 200 | B 5 | Fort Belknap | B 3 | La Hood | F 4 | Pony, 90 | F 6 | Upham, 90 | B 5 |
| Boyd, 75 | C 12 | Fortbell, 80 | D 7 | Lake McDonald | B 2 | Poplar 1565 | B-11 | Valier, 324 | B 4 |
| Brady, 100 | B 4 | Fortbenton, 182 | A 12 | Lakeside, 300 | D 2 | Power, 75 | C 4 | Vananda, 25 | E 6 |
| •Bozeman, 13361 | G 5 | Florence, 350 | E 2 | Lauderdale 150 | C 12 | Potomac 75 | D 3 | Vandalia 15 | E 9 |
| Brandenberg | F 10 | Flowerpot, 50 | E 2 | Lavina, 200 | E 8 | Powderville, 25 | E 12 | Vaughn, 1500 | B 5 |
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| Buffalo, 75 | E 7 | Four Corners, | G 5 | Lewistown 7408 | D 6 | R | | W | |
| Ruby 300 | G 10 | Frenchtown, 100 | D 2 | •Libby 2676 | B 1 | | | | |
| Ruffalo Jump | F 4 | Froid 800 | A 12 | Lima, 295 | G 1 | Richardson 80 | F-5 | Wagner, 40 | B-8 |
| Bynum, 80 | C 4 | Fromberg 367 | G 7 | Limestone | G 6 | Ringling, 75 | D 6 | Walkerville, 3453 | F 4 |
| | | | | Lincoln 600 | C 3 | Rivulet 10 | E 6 | Warland 40 | B 1 |
| C | | G | | Lindsay 40 | D 11 | Rockerbay 80 | F-5 | Washington 500 | G 3 |
| | | | | Livingston 8275 | G 5 | Rapelje 75 | D 7 | Warren, 10 | G 8 |
| Camas 50 | C 2 | Galata 60 | B 5 | Lloyd 5 | D 7 | Ravalli 100 | D 2 | Waterloo, 100 | G 8 |
| Camerons, 10 | G 5 | Galen 10 | E 3 | Lockwood, 10 | C 6 | Raymond 30 | C 6 | Waterloo, 100 | G 8 |
| Canyon Creek 10 | E 6 | Gallatin Gateway 200 | G 5 | Logan Creek, 887 | D 6 | Raynesford, 50 | D 6 | Wehmer, 5 | F 6 |
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| Clinton, 350 | E 3 | Gravelly, 25 | G 5 | McAllister, 10 | G 5 | Roscoe, 5 | D 7 | Willard 5 | E 12 |
| Cleffo Park 253 | E 6 | Greenough 15 | C 3 | McLean, 50 | B 12 | Rosebud, 342 | E 8 | Willow Creek 150 | F 6 |
| Coalridge 15 | A 12 | Grenora | B 1 | McLeod, 15 | F 6 | Round Butte | C 7 | Willsall 200 | F 6 |
| Coalwood 7 | F 9 | Greycliff 75 | F 7 | Madison, 10 | F 5 | Roy 15 | A 6 | Winnett 175 | D 6 |
| Coffee Creek, 55 | D 6 | | | Maiden | D 7 | Rudyard, 600 | B 5 | Winifred 220 | C 7 |
| Cohagen, 25 | D 6 | H | | Malta, 2235 | B 8 | Rapelje, 314 | D 7 | Wisdom 20 | F 3 |
| Colony 75 | C 5 | | | Manhattan, 559 | F 5 | | | Wolf Creek, 125 | D 4 |
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| Columbia Falls 2132 | B 2 | Hall 90 | E 3 | Marion 400 | D 2 | | | Woodside, 50 | F 8 |
| Columbus 1248 | F 6 | •Hamilton 2425 | C 3 | Martin City 400 | B 2 | Saco, 450 | B 9 | Worden, 50 | F 8 |
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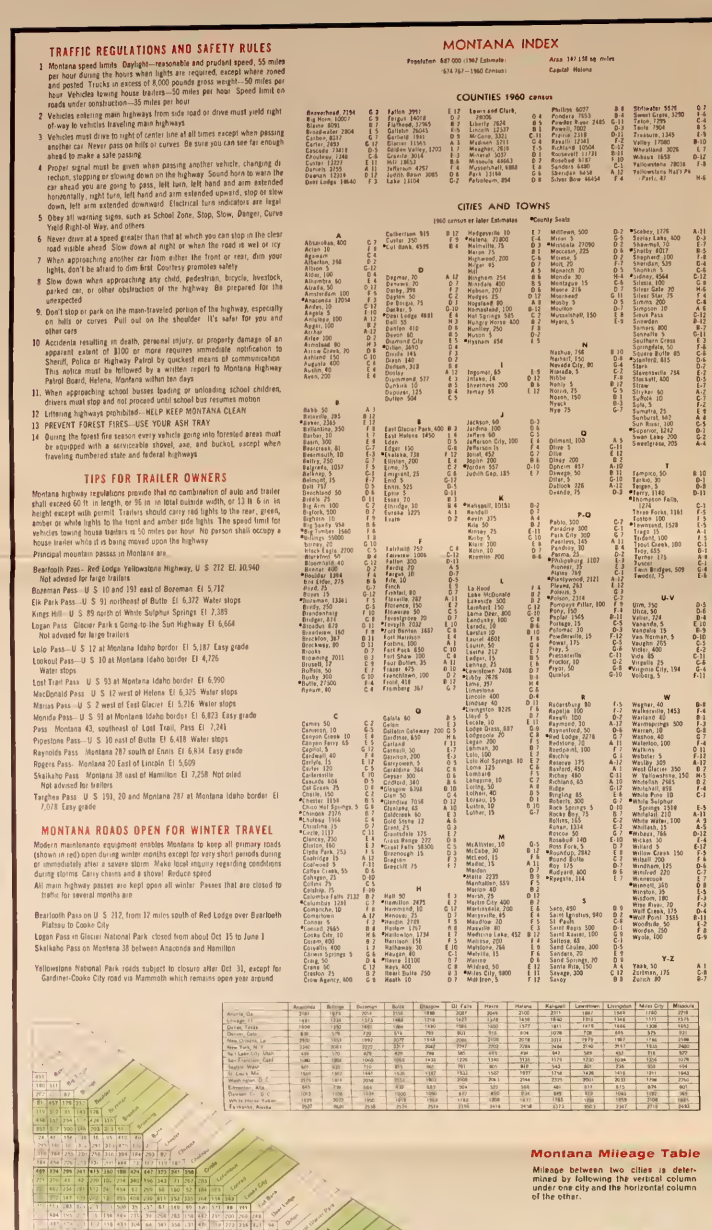
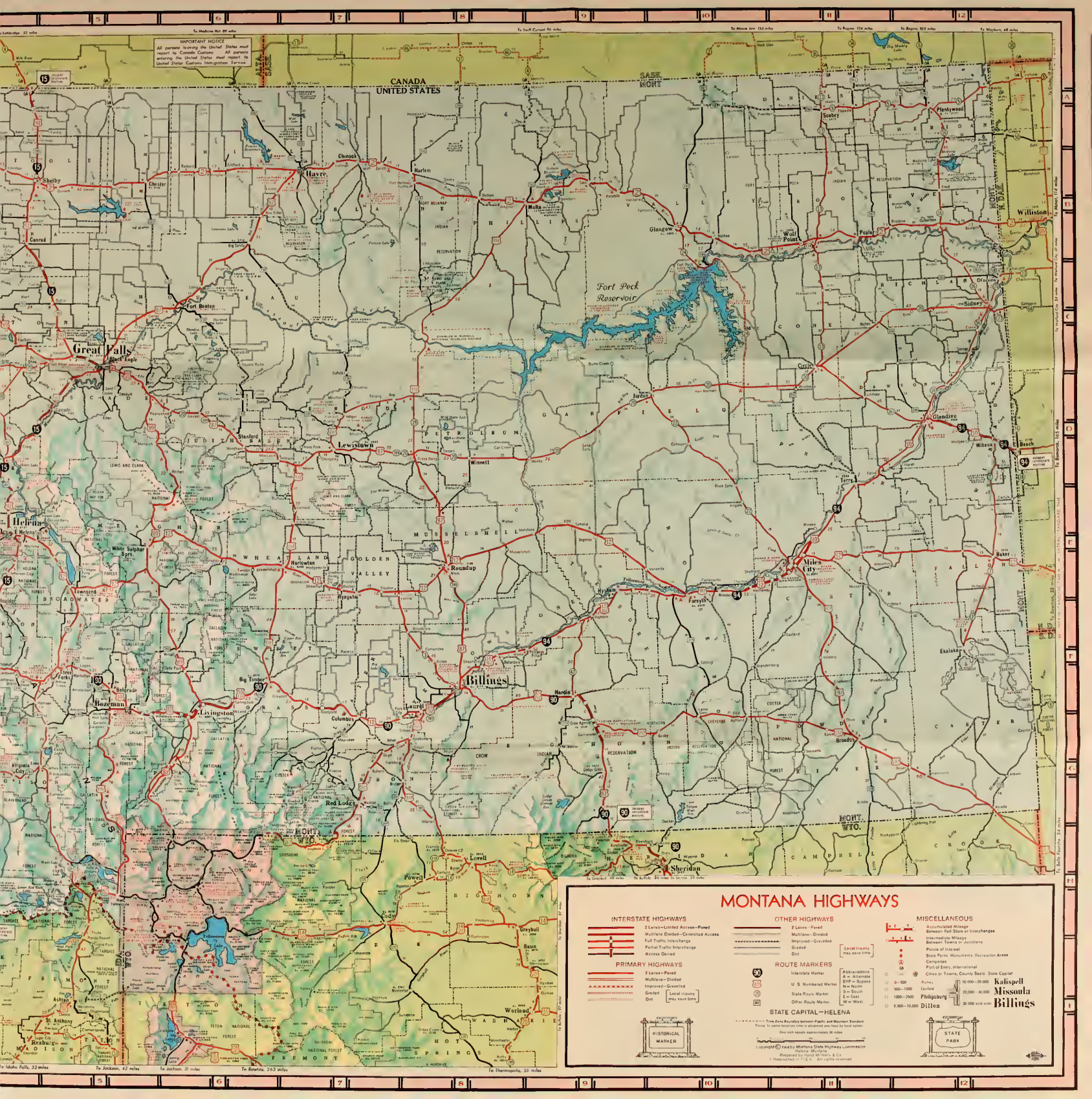
Mileage between two cities is determined by following the vertical column under one city and the horizontal column of the other.

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## Glacier
### NATIONAL PARK

The history of Glacier National Park begins with the Indians. The Blackfeet lived under the spell of the mountains. And although they regarded the mountain vastness with awe, even dread, they did enter this abode of spirits to fast and to cross to the Flathead country to the west.

The park lies in a rugged section of the Montana Rockies and is named, not from the 60-odd glaciers of today, but because huge ice Ages glaciers carved its rugged scenery. Here two hundred glacial lakes in peacock blues and emerald greens stud the valleys or are set like jewels in rocky cirques, and many of these streams of crystal clear water offer good fishing. (no fishing license is required.) Fields of brilliant mountain wildflowers, cascading waterfalls, sheer cliffs, dense forests, inquisitive bears, friendly marmots and proud mountain goats make up its changing panorama.

Going-to-the-Sun Road, a spectacular 50-mile drive running east and west through the park, crosses the Continental Divide at Logan Pass and traverses the towering Garden Wall. Much of the park is accessible by auto and more than a thousand miles of horseback and foot trails lead deep into untouched wilderness. Some of the glaciers can be visited readily. Saddle horses are available, riding experience is unnecessary.

Warm sunny days and cool, starry nights are the rule throughout the summer. Early season visitors find waterfalls at their most glorious and mountain peaks still covered with winter snows. In the fall, deciduous trees display brilliant colors, highest peaks glisten with their first white dusting of snow and skies deepen to a startling blue.

Going-to-the-Sun Road, open about the first week in June, remains open well into October. All year around accommodations are conveniently located on the park's fringes. Accommodations in the park are available from about June 15 to September 10.

On May 11, 1910, this million acre alpine wonderland was established by Congress as a national park and is the United States section of Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park.

Photo by Marion Lacy

## Yellowstone
### NATIONAL PARK

Yellowstone National Park is the largest and the oldest of all the national parks. It was first discovered by frontiersman John Colter in the winter of 1807-08, but his friends refused to believe the tales of the fantastic land he had seen. Twenty years later, Jim Bridger, a rugged Montana trapper and scout, gave similar descriptions of the area, and eventually explored the Yellowstone country extensively.

Nature's wonderland, world-famous for spouting geysers, brilliant pools, bubbling mud caldrons, mountains, canyons, streams and lakes, forest and waterfalls, Yellowstone National Park comprises 2,221,000 acres of scenic beauty.

Yellowstone Park and its adjacent Montana entrances offer fishing, horseback riding, boating, photographing and just relaxing in the midst of magnificent scenery.

Three of the park's five entrances are in Montana. The north entrance at Gardiner is reached by the historic Yellowstone River route through beautiful Paradise Valley and Yankee Jim Canyon.

Two scenic highways lead to the west entrance at West Yellowstone, Montana. Along the picturesque Gallatin River, white water foams and sparkles below towering canyon peaks. Farther west, the route along trout-famous Madison River winds through an awe-inspiring valley and passes the Madison River Canyon Earthquake Area.

The spectacular Beartooth Highway leading to the Park's northeast entrance between Red Lodge and Cooke City, Montana, climbs to nearly 11,000 feet in the Beartooth Mountains. Here is some of Montana's most rugged beauty—purple canyons, white glaciers, rushing streams, sparkling lakes, fields of glorious wildflowers, views of vistas as large as all New England.

Park wildlife includes buffalo, moose, elk, deer, antelope, Big Horn sheep and—favorite of all—the grizzly and black bear. Fishing is excellent in the park waters (no license required) and includes cutthroat, rainbow, Loch Leven and brook trout.

Congress established Yellowstone National Park on March 1, 1872, after the Washburn-Doane Expedition, headed by H. D. Washburn, Surveyor-General of Montana.

At the Montana entrances, accommodations are available all year; accommodations are available in the park from about May 1 to October 31.

Photo by W. S. Keller

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# MONTANA

## The BIG SKY Vacationland
### 1964 . . . Territorial Centennial Year

Springtime in the Big Sky country brings forth a myriad of brilliant wildflowers, velvet green hillsides and warm sunny days for outdoor activities. *Photo by Ernst Peterson*

## The Treasure State

Montana, for centuries the home of Indians and buffalo, was first seen by white men—the Verendrye's French fur-traders—in 1743.

In 1805-06 Lewis and Clark explored the area, then part of the Louisiana Territory.

In 1807, Manuel Lisa, a fur-trader, built Montana's first trading post.

The first permanent white settlement was St. Mary's Mission, founded in 1841.

In 1862 a rich gold strike at Bannack brought a rush of prospectors. With gold discoveries at Virginia City and Helena, thousands more followed. Outlaws flourished in the surging gold camps until the Vigilantes organized and dispensed justice.

The great cowboy era began in 1866 when the first herd of longhorn cattle was trailed in from Texas.

The growing intrusion of white men into the Indians' homeland, the disappearance of buffalo and failure of white men to keep their treaties, brought the Indian wars of the '60s and '70s. Custer's Last Stand occurred in 1876. A year later the major battles ended with Chief Joseph's surrender at the Battle of the Bear's Paw.

The fourth largest state, Montana averages 550 miles in length and 275 miles in width. The Continental Divide runs north and south through the western section. The highest point is Granite Peak, 12,799 feet, the lowest is 1,820 feet on the Kootenai River at the Idaho line.

Climate varies with topography and altitude. Average annual rainfall throughout the state is 15" and varies from a minimum 9.65" to over 100" on some mountain tops. Average daytime temperatures vary from an average 28°F in January to 84.5° in July.

Nine railroads, 11 bus lines and 4 air lines serve Montana. 8,582 miles of paved highways cross the state.

Vast lands suited to agriculture, fine native grasses, water, minerals and timber are Montana's most valuable resources.

The value of income from farms and ranches totals nearly $300,000,000 annually. Farms and ranches total 84 million acres. Major crops are wheat, hay, barley, sugar beets, corn, oats, potatoes, safflower, alfalfa seed, mustard seed, flaxseed, beans and cherries. Principal livestock are cattle (about 2,200,000) and sheep (about 1,700,000). Montana is the largest western supplier of stocker and feeder cattle to the corn belt.

Prospectors and miners played an important part in the early development of Montana. Today, mining and associated enterprises are still among the leading sources of employment and income. Annual mineral production averages about $200,000,000 chiefly from petroleum and copper production. Other leading minerals are sand and gravel, zinc, silver, building stone, lead, and gold.

The first sawmill was set up by the Jesuit Fathers in the Bitterroot Valley in the 1840's. Since that time, the timber industry has become highly important in Montana's economy and contributes at present approximately $100,000,000 annually. Approximately four million Christmas trees are harvested each year.

The first hydroelectric plant of importance was constructed in 1891 at Black Eagle and supplied the Great Falls area. Most of the power in the State is now generated hydroelectrically by Federal dams located at Fort Peck, Hungry Horse, and Canyon Ferry (Yellowtail Dam near Hardin is under construction); by the Montana Power Company with Kerr Dam, Holter Dam and 11 other sites, and by the Washington Water Power Company with its dam at Noxon Rapids. There are five steam generating plants in the State. The largest, located at Sidney, is operated by the Montana Dakota Utilities Company.

Manufacturing in Montana is primarily based on the processing of its abundant raw materials including refining of copper, zinc, aluminum, and petroleum, production of elemental phosphorus, production of wood products, cement, sugar refining and flour milling. The value added by manufacturing approximates $219,000,000 annually.

*Additional Information*

Wherever you may be in Montana, on-the-spot information is conveniently available to you when you stop at a local Chamber of Commerce office. These people are interested in providing you with timely, reliable information about local highlights.

For additional Montana vacation information write to the Advertising Department, Montana Highway Commission, Helena, Montana.

The Western Meadowlark State Bird

The Bitterroot State Flower

The Ponderosa Pine State Tree

The State Flag with State Seal and motto, "Oro Y Plata"—Gold and Silver

The Missouri River Canyon remains as when Lewis and Clark first saw it in 1805-06. *Photo by K. F. Rouhen*

This historic block house at Fort Logan, Montana, is a relic of the Indian wars. *Photo by Robert Lindberg*

## Lewis and Clark Cavern STATE PARK

Lewis and Clark Cavern, Montana's featured state park, is the largest limestone cavern in the Northwest. Located in the heart of Montana's vacationland between Glacier and Yellowstone National Parks, Lewis and Clark Cavern is easy to reach and fun to explore.

Colorful stalactites, stalagmites, cluisterites and flowstone, produced by a million years of natural processes, form interesting and unusual sights.

The cavern is all electrically-lighted, and is safe and comfortable to visit. An open-air jeep railroad runs along the hillside from park headquarters to near the cavern entrance and an electric tram completes the trip.

Inside the cavern, where natural air-conditioning maintains a year-round temperature of 46°, well constructed walks lead through the caverns.

Guided tours take 80 minutes. Admission charge (including jeep railway and tram ride) is $1.00 for adults, 50c for children.

Tours operate at frequent intervals daily as follows:
May 1-June 15 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
June 15-Labor Day 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Labor Day-September 30 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Free picnicking and camping facilities are provided.

## National Historic Registered Landmarks

Bannack
Fort Benton
Missouri River Headwaters State Monument
Virginia City

## Fishing and Hunting

The history of Montana's 100 years as a state is a story of its fishing and hunting. Throughout this period of time, even with the advances of our modern civilization and a tremendous rise in recreation, Treasure State fishing and hunting has remained as good or better than it ever was.

Montana offers some of the best trout fishing in the nation. Four major watersheds—the Missouri, Yellowstone, Kootenai and Clark Fork—with their many tributaries reaching into the high mountain areas, give the angler a wide choice. Montana's many lakes and streams provide plenty of fish, including the rainbow, cutthroat, brown trout, mackinaw, Dolly Varden, whitefish, the rare grayling, pike, perch, bass, freshwater drum, paddlefish, ling and kokanee (sockeye).

In addition, Montana's vast reaches of native wilderness provide outdoorsmen and nature lovers with a look at untouched country as it was many decades ago. Herds of antelope, deer, elk, Big Horn sheep, moose, mountain goats and grizzly bear have continued to thrive due to careful management. In eleven national forests and eight wilderness areas, natural conditions provide hunting of the highest quality.

For the bird hunter, a variety of upland game is available. Species such as the sharp-tailed grouse, sage grouse, blue grouse, Franklin's grouse, ruffed grouse, ptarmigan, ring-necked pheasant, Hungarian partridge, wild turkey and chukar provide hunters with a variety of enjoyment.

For non-residents, a 6-day limited fishing license is available for $3.00. A seasonal non-resident fishing license costs $10.00. For non-resident hunters, the $100 license includes white-tailed deer, mule deer, antelope, elk and bear (black or grizzly) plus the right to enter the drawing for sheep, goats, and moose. The $100 license also includes fishing and upland game birds.

(For details on fishing streams, hunting areas, seasons and license fees, write Montana Fish and Game Department, Helena, Montana.)

## State Parks and Monuments

**Bannack State Monument**
21 miles west of Dillon off U.S. 91

**Bitterroot Lake State Park**
20 miles west of Kalispell and 5 miles north of Marion off U.S. 2

**Canyon Ferry Recreation Area**
20 miles southeast of Helena off U.S. 12

**Chief Joseph Battlefield**
16 miles south of Chinook off U.S. 2

**Chief Plenty Coups Memorial State Monument**
35 miles south of Billings

**Deadman's Basin Recreation Area**
20 miles east of Harlowton off U.S. 12

**Flathead Lake State Park**
15 miles north of Polson on U.S. 93

**Fort Owen State Monument**
At Stevensville off U.S. 93

***Hell Creek State Park**
34 miles north of Jordan off Montana 18 on Fort Peck Reservoir

**Hooper State Park**
At Lincoln on Montana 20

**James Kipp State Park**
65 miles north of Lewistown on Montana 19

**Lewis and Clark Cavern State Park**
15 miles east of Whitehall on U.S. 10

**Lone Pine State Park**
3 miles southwest of Kalispell off U.S. 2

**Lost Creek State Park**
6 miles north of Anaconda off U.S. 10 A

**Makoshika State Park**
3 miles south of Glendive off U.S. 10

**Medicine Rocks State Park**
12 miles north of Ekalaka on Montana 7

**Missouri River Headwaters State Monument**
3 miles east of Three Forks and 3 miles north of U.S. 10

**Nelson Reservoir Recreation Area**
23 miles northeast of Malta off U.S. 2

**Painted Rocks Reservoir Recreation Area**
35 miles south of Hamilton off U.S. 93

***Rock Creek State Park**
30 miles south of Fort Peck on Fort Peck Reservoir

**Thompson Falls State Park**
3 miles west of Thompson Falls off U.S. 10 A

**Tiber Dam State Park**
18 miles south of Chester on Tiber Reservoir

**West Shore State Park**
20 miles south of Kalispell on U.S. 93

**Yellow Bay State Park**
20 miles north of Polson on Montana 35

**Whitefish Lake State Park**
At Whitefish on U.S. 93

*Make local inquiry before traveling into these areas.

Antelope are still plentiful on the prairies of Central and Eastern Montana. *Photo by Ernst Peterson*

This Interstate Highway near Livingston, Montana, follows the Bridger Trail. *Photo by Chet Dreher*

The historic Big Hole Valley is one of the world's richest natural cattle pastures. *Photo by Joern Gerdts*

Recapture the excitement of the Gold Rush days by visiting Montana's ghost towns. *Photo by Ernst Peterson*

Ceremonial dances are held on Montana's seven Indian Reservations during the summer. *Photo by Ernst Peterson*

The free State Historical Museum in Helena is a treasure house of Western Americana. *Photo by Chet Dreher*

Regattas and many other events are scheduled each summer. Lingering in the relaxed atmosphere of true western hospitality is a pleasure. *Photo by Joern Gerdts*

The riot of color during Montana's beautiful Indian Summer is particularly inviting to the sportsman and hunters.

Montana becomes a wonderland of fun and sun for a winter holiday. Uncrowded ski runs, excellent snow conditions and challenging slopes of the Rockies make Montana a memorable ski-vacationland. *Photo by Gordon Platt*

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